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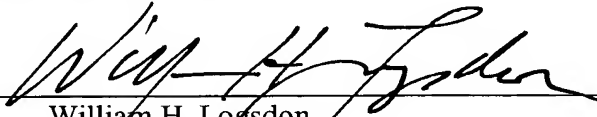
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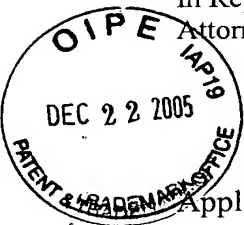
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of September 20, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 1 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 8 of this paper and include an attached replacement sheet and an annotated copy of the original sheet showing changes.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.

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